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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS

AND THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

In Regard to the Incorporation of the Proposed Northwest Arctic Borough

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION AS A

FIRST CLASS BOROUGH

The undersigned qualified voters of the area proposed to be incorporated petition the Department of Community and Regional Affairs and the Local Boundary Commission to initiate the necessary and proper proceedings pursuant to Title 29, Alaska Statutes, for the incorporation of a borough more specifically described as follows:

- 1. CLASS: The petitioners seek to incorporate a first class borough.
- 2. NAME: The name of the proposed borough will be the NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH.
- 3. BOUNDARIES: The boundaries of the proposed borough are more fully described on the attached map and legal description which is made a part of this petition.
- 4. COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE BOROUGH ASSEMBLY: The borough Assembly shall be composed of eleven (11) members, representing districts and elected at large.
- 5. MAPS, DOCUMENTS, AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION: To more clearly convey the intention of the petitioners, and to more fully describe their needs for the establishment of the proposed borough, petitioners include the following information:
 - A. MAPS: Attached to this petition as Appendix A and made a part hereof by reference is a map depicting the boundaries of the proposed borough.
 - B. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: A legal description of the proposed borough is attached as Appendix B.
 - C. POWERS TO BE ASSUMED: A list of the powers to be assumed by the borough upon incorporation, and a schedule of the assumption of those powers, is

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attached to this petition as Appendix C.

- D. BOROUGH BUDGET: The proposed budget of the Northwest Arctic Borough, including estimated revenues and projected operating expenses, for the first full fiscal year of operation, is displayed in Appendix D.
- E. BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPORTIONMENT: The proposed apportionment plan for the Northwest Arctic Borough Assembly is presented in Appendix E.
- F. BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION: Appendix F contains the proposed staffing plan of the Northwest Arctic Borough for the first full fiscal year of operation.
- G. RESOLUTIONS: Resolutions of support for the proposed incorporation are attached to this petition as Appendix G. These resolutions were adopted by the Boards of Directors of NANA Regional Corporation and Maniilaq Association, and by the Northwest Arctic School Board.
- H. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Additional information, which is specified in 19 AAC 10.340-.350, is presented in abbreviated form in Appendix H.
- I. SUPPORTING BRIEF: Additional supporting information and analysis will be provided in a brief to be submitted with this petition to the State.

The petitioners, and undersigned qualified voters resident in the area of the proposed incorporation, submit that the subject proposed incorporation fully satisfies the requirements and intent of Title 29 of Alaska Statutes and Title 19 of the Alaska Administration Code. In particular, petitioners will demonstrate compliance with the four standards for incorporation more fully described at AS 29.18.030:

- the population of the area is interrelated and integrated as to its social, cultural and economic activities, and is large and stable enough to support organized borough government;
- 2. the boundaries of the proposed borough conform generally to natural geography and include all areas necessary for full development of local services;
- 3. the economy of the area includes the human and financial resources capable of providing local

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services; and

4. land, water and air transportation facilities allow the communication and exchange necessary for the development of integrated local government.

The designated representative of the petitioners is:

Ms. Marie Greene, President Maniilaq Association P.O. Box 256 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 (907) 442-3311

Immediately following is a petition signed by a number of voters that is at least 15% of the number of voters resident in the region proposed for incorporation who voted in the last general election and on whose behalf this petition for incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough as a first class borough is respectfully submitted.

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We the undersigned registered voters, who reside within the subject area proposed to be incorporated, hereby indicate by name, signature and address, that we support the proposed incorporation of the NANA region. We also respectfully request that the State of Alaska act upon this petition favorably and expeditiously.

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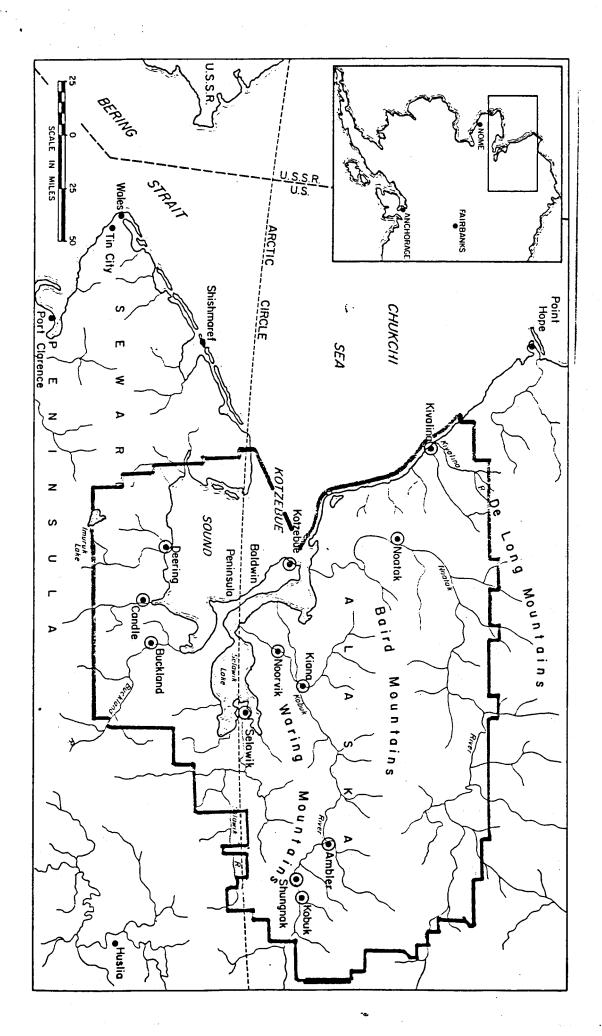
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APPENDIX B PROPOSED BOROUGH LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Beginning at the point where the mean high tide line of the Chukchi Sea intersects with the northern boundary of Section 5 of Township 30 North; Range 29 West; Kateel River Meridian; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 30 North; Range 26 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner Township 32 North; Range 25 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 18 West; thence northerly to the northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 17 West; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 15 West; thence sourtherly to the southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 14 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 13 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 12 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North: Range 11 West: thence sourtherly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 10 West; thence easterly to the Southeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 7 West; thence northerly to the Northwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 6 West; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 33 North; Range 5 West; thence southerly to the Southwest corner of Township 33 North; Range 4 West; thence easterly to Northeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner of Township 32 North; Range 7 East; thence easterly to the Northeast corner of Township 31 North; Range 11 East; thence southerly to the Southeast corner

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APPENDIX E

NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH

BOROUGH ASSEMBLY COMPOSITION AND APPORTIONMENT

COMPOSITION: 11 SEATS

APPORTIONMENT: 4 DISTRICTS

DISTRICT 1: 3 SEATS (A,B,C)

KIVALINA 241

NOATAK 273

KIANA 345

NOORVIK 492

BAIRD MOUNTAINS $\frac{55}{1,406}$ (468.6/SEAT)

DISTRICT 2: 1 SEAT (D)

AMBLER 192

SHUNGNAK 202

KOBUK 62

KOBUK AREA 1

457 (457/SEAT)

Property tax revenues are based upon the following:

- 1. Only real property will be taxed.
- 2. Personal property will be exempt from taxation.
- 3. Real property will be taxed at a rate of 3 mils (0.003%) of assessed value.
- 4. The estimated full and true value of real and personal property based upon 1985 State Assessor estimates plus local estimates are:

Real property: \$199,480,680 Personal property: \$22,163,945

- 5. The estimated full and true value of taxable real property is \$139,636,114, deducting non-taxable real property (e.g., allotments, restricted deed townsite lots, etc.).
- 6. The estimated value of taxable personal property is \$22,163,945.
- 7. The estimated assessed value of taxable property will be 90% of full and true value; or \$125,672,500.
- 8. A 3 mil tax on \$125,672,500 is \$377,000.
- 9. No property tax is presently levied in the region.

Sales tax:

- 1. The proposed borough will not levy a sales or use tax.
- Sales taxes currently levied in the region are:

 Ambler - 2%
 Kobuk - 0%

 Buckland - 2%
 Kotzebue - 3%

 Deering - 3%
 Noorvik - 2%

 Kiana - 2%
 Selawik - 2%

 Kivalina - 2%
 Shungnak - 2%

NORTHWEST ARCTIC SCHOOL DISTRICT RESOLUTION 086-001

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board represents the eleven (11) villages of the NANA Region; and

Whereas, the Northwest Arctic School District Board is the governing body for the Northwest Arctic School District; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would provide distinct financial advantages to the school district; and

Whereas, the formation of a borough government would alter the present governance structure of the school district providing more opportunity for interagency cooperation;

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School Board supports the present effort to form a borough government in the NANA region, and

Be it further resolved, that the Northwest Arctic School District Board requests that the Department of Education and the Alaska State Legislature amend AS 14.12.030 (a) to allow the continuance of an eleven (11) member school board for the Northwest Arctic School District to ensure adequate representation of the local communities in the NANA region.

Adopted this 31 day of October, 1985 at a duly convened regular meeting at which a quorum was present and voting.

ATTESTED:

President

Secretary

WHEREAS: Revenues available to people from the NANA Region from the Red Dog Mine resource, estimated at 5 million dollars per year will not contribute significantly the self determination of the people of the North Slope Borough; and

WHEREAS: This amount represents the minimum amount necessary assist in the self determination of the people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource will result distribution of approximately 425 jobs to people of the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: Exploitation of this resource has, to this time. primarily the responsibility of the NANA Corporation together with certain private industries; and

WHEREAS: Since state and federal revenue sharing to communities within the NANA Region have declined, and, by all reasonable estimates, will further decline.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED BY THE MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS: That the North Slope Borough be respectfully requested to amend its boundaries to exclude certain lands to include some 433,000 acres, the jurisdiction over which will be retained by the people of the NANA Region provide maximum opportunities to exercise government and the rights to self determination; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Board of Directors, Maniilag Association will cooperate fully with the Corporation and other agencies and local entities the establishment of a NANA Borough consistent with the laws of the State of Alaska and in the interests self government for the people of the NANA Region.

Adopted by the Maniilaq Board of Directors at its regular meeting

N. CREENE, PRESIDENT MANIILAQ ASSOCIATION

MANIILAQ BOARD OF DIRECTORS

CORPORATE SECRETARY

DATE:

Women's Shelter
P.O. Box 38
Kotzebue, Alaska 99752
(907) 442-3969

Mariilag Association

Senior Citizens' Center P.O. Box 260 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 (907) 442-3590 or 3591

Public Health Nursing P.O. Box 170 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 (907) 442-3313 P.O. Box 256 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 (907) 442-3311

Health & Human Services F.R. Ferguson Building (907) 442-3313 or 3914

RESOLUTION #85- 3

A resolution of the Board of Directors, Maniilaq Association requesting certain modifications of boundaries with the North Slope Borough and the establishment of a borough for the NANA Region to ensure maximum self-government for the people of the NANA Region.

WHEREAS: Maniilaq Association represents the eleven (11) villages in the NANA Region; and

WHEREAS: The Maniilaq Board of Directors is the policy making body for the Maniilaq Association; and

WHEREAS: In 1990 the State of Alaska will base apportionment of legislative districts based upon the one man one vote principle; and

WHEREAS: This action will result in the redistribution of political authority to south central Alaska, having approximately 60 percent of the state's population; and

WHEREAS: This redistribution of authority severely affects the ability of people from the NANA Region to participate in the control of its own political processes; and

WHEREAS: Those persons residing within an unorganized borough will have no recourse than to submit to State of Alaska authority;

WHEREAS: People of the NANA Region wish to adhere to democratic principles of local authority; and

WHEREAS: The people of the NANA Region assures the North Slope Borough that all lands made available by the North Slope redefining of its boundaries will be included in an effort to establish a NANA Regional Borough to avoid imposition of state control; and

WHEREAS: The North Slope Borough, with oil revenues providing approximately 325 million dollars a year is richly endowed with natural resources; and

NANA REGION GOALS

EXCERPTED FROM THE NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION, INC. GOALS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON JANUARY 27, 1983.

GOAL VII. Assist in the formation of a borough to increase local control of decisions which affect our shareholders.

POST OFFICE BOX 49 / KOTZEBUE, ALASKA 99752 / TELEPHONE (907) 442-3301



Dear Shareholder:

The Board of Directors approved these goals for MANA on January 27, 1983. These goals are meant to reflect the Identity, Values and Needs of our People. They will be used by NANA to guide our conduct as well as determine our path as we work to develop a better future for our Shareholders. I hope they will be of use to you personally as well.

Sincerely yours,

Robert Newlin

Chairman

John W. Schaeffer

President



APPENDIX F

BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION

MAYOR & ASSEMBLY

Mayor Administrative Assistant Borough Clerk Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Director/Controller Accountant Accountant (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFFAIRS

Planning Director Planner Secretary (part-time)

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Contract Services

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

State Contract Services

APPENDIX D

OPERATING BUDGET

OPERATING BUDGET

MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRA	T T O.N	\$	329,570 243,675
AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING A	·		200,255
COMMUNITY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF LAW			40,000
ASSESSING DEPARTMENT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION		20,	111,000 713,072
	TOTAL	\$21,	637,572

REVENUES

STATE ORGANIZATIONAL GRANT STATE MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE STATE REVENUE SHARING STATE COASTAL MANAGEMENT GRANT STATE FISHERIES TAX SHARED REVENUES BOROUGH PROPERTY TAX (3 Mils) EDUCATION FUNDS		300,000 35,000 65,000 142,500 5,000 377,000 713,072
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APPENDIX C

BOROUGH POWERS

AREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

- 1. EDUCATION
- 2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES
- 3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION

NONAREAWIDE POWERS TO BE ASSUMED

NONE

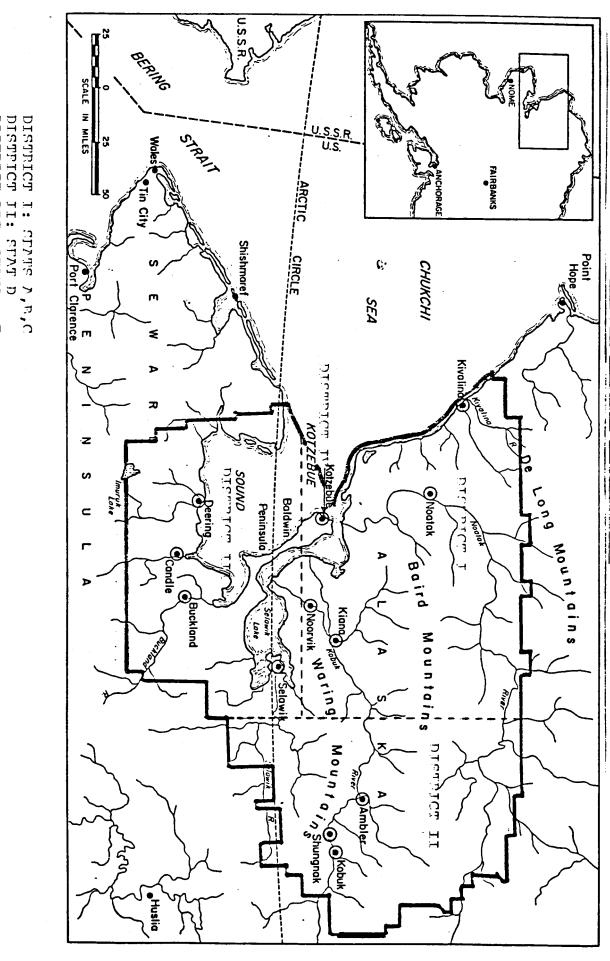
SCHEDULE FOR ASSUMPTION OF POWERS

The three powers enumerated above will be exercised upon incorporation of the Northwest Arctic Borough.

Powers to be transferred from cities to the borough will be exercised upon completion of that transfer, or within six(6) months of incorporation, whichever occurs first.

LEVEL OF SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED

- EDUCATION Education services at a minimum will be provided in a manner commensurate with existing levels of education services.
- 2. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES The power to assess and collect property taxes will be exercised fully upon establishment of property tax rolls through the assistance of the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs as provided in AS 29.05.210(6)(2) (Revised).
- 3. PLANNING, PLATTING AND LAND USE REGULATION This power will be exercised initially at the same level of service as that provided currently by Maniilaq Association and the City of Kotzebue.



DISTRICT IV: STATE C, F, T, T, F

III: CFATC

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DISTRICT 3: 2 SEATS (E,F)

SELAWIK 361

DEERING 150

BUCKLAND 177

CANDLE 8

FINK CREEK

SELAWIK AREA 175

BALDWIN PENINSULA 37

914 (457/SEAT)

6

DISTRICT 4: 5 SEATS (G, H, I, J, K)

KOTZEBUE $\frac{2,054}{2,054}$ (410.8/SEAT)

ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS WILL BE BY DISTRICT; CANDIDATES MUST BE RESIDENT WITHIN THE DISTRICT THEY SEEK TO REPRESENT AND THE ELECTION WILL BE AT LARGE BY VOTERS THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH.

POPULATION FIGURES ARE FROM THE 1980 U.S. CENSUS



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THE INCORPORATION OF THE
MANA REGION AS A BOROUGH
OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE
KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST
ARCTIC BOROUGH

BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR INCORPORATION

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BRIEF

FILED IN SUPPORT OF THE PROPOSED INCORPORATION OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH AS A BOROUGH OF THE FIRST CLASS

I. INTRODUCTION

The NANA region in Northwest Alaska, which is the same as the area proposed herein for incorporation of a first class borough, comprises an area of approximately 36,000 square miles, or approximately 23,040,000 acres, including the area proposed for detachment from the North Slope Borough. This area is coterminous with the boundaries of the NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. as established by the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA) of 1971. 1980 U.S. Census enumerations indicated a total population of 4,831, of which 4075 residents (or 84%) were Inupiat Eskimo. Population figures provided by the State of Alaska for purposes of the State Revenue Sharing program, plus local estimates for Noatak, indicate a population of 6,077 in 1983 and a population of 6,110 in 1984. No figures for racial composition are provided in the State's tabulation.

The NANA region historically has been culturally homogeneous and geographically well-defined. This is evidenced by the similarity in the boundaries of

regional institutions and organizations. The region is relatively compact, facilitating service delivery and commercial interchange. Of the eleven communities in the NANA region, ten are incorporated as second class cities, and have been for a minimum of eight years. Kotzebue serves as the regional center, through which virtually all goods and services pass prior to distribution throughout the region.

The NANA region has had regional government under consideration since the passage of ANCSA. Until recently, however, the prospects for locally financing borough government were not favorable. In addition, the region has had extensive experience in formulating and implementing programs on a regional scale. most notable example is the NANA Regional Strategy, now Combined with the region's in its sixth vear. participation in the Alaska Coastal Management Program, regional social services delivery programs administered Maniilag Association, the regional non-profit corporation, and education programs of the Northwest School District, the region has had develop refine mechanisms opportunity to and for regional delivery of services. However. mechanisms lack the statutory authority and approbation afforded under Alaska statutes for organized local governments.

There are numerous reasons for the NANA region to seek incorporation as a borough at this time. overriding impetus is to ensure a maximum level of local self-determination. The constituency of borough's governing body, and administration, is the residents of the region. Decisions are made residents conducting locally-elected deliberations in the region. The borough assembly and staff are solely responsible to residents region; accountability is focussed and localized. Opportunities for residents to have direct input into the governmental process are enhanced.

A borough government provides the region a powerful mechanism for managing development. Planning is carried out locally and appropriate implementation techniques are developed and applied. Local goals and needs can be properly incorporated into the planning process so that development is managed for the maximum benefit of the region impacted by that development. Planning programs formulated locally guarantee that special or unique characteristics of the region are appropriately reflected in the process.

Reapportionment of the Alaska Legislature following the 1990 Census will undoubtedly restructure existing

Statewide representation patterns. An increase in the urban populations of the State may reduce the relative representation of rural areas in the Legislature. A local government will ensure that many key decisions will still be made locally and will afford the region a stronger, unified voice in statewide affairs.

An important function of local government is to provide services to its residents. A borough in the NANA region means that many services now provided from without the region will be provided locally, or at least the authority to provide those services locally now rests with the borough. Borough residents would also be empowered to identify and prioritize needed services and how they are to be delivered.

A borough government functions as the representative for the entire region, unifying the region's dealings with outside interests. Conversely, outside interests would generally need to deal with only 1 entity in the region, rather than 11 or more.

A borough is also an employer and has the capability to develop and enforce local hire provisions, within legal guidelines. A borough school district is eligible for increased financial aid and a borough can issue instruments of indebtedness to acquire additional

funds.

Formation of a borough has also been supported by all 3 regional institutions. It is an adopted goal of NANA Regional Corporation and is supported in formally adopted resolutions of Maniilaq Association and Northwest Arctic School District.

The prospect of a world class mining operation at Red Dog portends a significant increase in the region's tax base as well as in population, demand for services and related development impacts. Absent a borough, the NANA region has no locally controlled mechanism for managing such impacts.

Formation of a borough is therefore a fundamental cornerstone in the region's efforts to ensure its residents. The timing welfare οf incorporation petition is also critical. Construction activities on the road and port serving Red Dog are slated to begin in the summer of 1986; construction activities at the mine site will commence the following year. (17) Creation of a fully operational, smoothly functioning borough requires a period of time during which staff are hired, ordinances prepared and adopted and basic operational policies and procedures developed and implemented. Initiating incorporation proceedings at this juncture will afford the new borough that period of time to adequately prepare for full-scale mine operation and the consequent impacts.

This anticipated addition to the tax base will generate additional property tax revenues sufficient to adequately support a borough government that will shortly need to expand its responsibilities in response to increased service demands generated by Red Dog. As discussed later in this brief, the existing tax base is not adequate to support a borough government. This analysis is further supported by the <u>Brief in Support of Petition for Detachment</u> (10) submitted to the Local Boundary Commission by the State of Alaska.

Accordingly, Maniilaq Association, the petitioner's representative, submits this brief in support of the petition for incorporation of the NANA region as a borough of the first class, to be known as the Northwest Arctic Borough.

II. DESCRIPTION OF THE NANA REGION

The NANA region has been inhabited since the earliest times of Alaska's settlement by its indigenous peoples. Onion Portage, on the Kobuk River 125 miles east of Kotzebue, has been occupied by a succession of peoples for the past 12,500 years. (35) Records of settlements dating back 5,000 years have been uncovered in the beach ridges at Cape Krusenstern, 35 miles northwest of Kotzebue. (1, 36)

Eventually, 11 permanent communities were established in the NANA region, with the largest, Kotzebue serving as the regional center. Virtually all goods and services distributed throughout the region either originate in or pass through Kotzebue. The economic linkages between the 11 communities in the NANA region are predominantly internal to the region, with Kotzebue serving as the focal point.

Furthermore, the NANA region has been characterized as unique among the 12 Native regions in Alaska due to the existence of four significant conditions not typically found in combination elsewhere. (2) The first is the cultural homogeneity of the NANA region, based upon a historical network of social alliances and trading relationships among the region's communities. This

network, further strengthened by a common linguistic tradition, has produced a regional cultural identity and common political interests.

Secondly, the relatively compact configuration of the NANA region has reduced to manageable proportions the communication and transportation. logistics of Thirdly, the Native population remains firmly rooted in vilage-based subsistence lifestyle. the traditional The of NANA Regional Corporation's majority shareholders reside in the region. This stability and continuity of lifestyle has resulted in a reduced level of the urban versus rural or village versus region elsewhere in the State. This dichotomy found observation gains further credence by virtue of the merger of 10 of the 11 ANCSA village corporations with the regional corporation.

The fourth condition is the virtually identical boundaries of the 3 key regional institutions. This geographic commonality minimizes overlapping or conflicting jurisdictions and reinforces the notion that the constituency of all 3 institutions is the same.

The passage of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and the subsequent creation of twelve regional

corporations each "composed as far as practicable of Natives having a common heritage and sharing common interests" (3), solidified the region's geographic boundaries. The NANA region now had a delineated boundary, that of NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. That boundary is essentially the same boundary proposed for the Northwest Arctic Borough.

The population of the region according to the 1980 U.S. Census was 4,831, 84% of whom were Inupiat Eskimo. It is a young population - 42% were under the ages of 18 years. The median age for Natives in 1980 was 20.1 Employment in the region is heavily dependent years. upon all 3 levels of government - federal, state and local. Of the 1,206 persons over 16 that were employed, fully 67% worked for government in 1980. One-half of the labor force was female, 71% of whom were employed in the public sector. Median family income was \$17,756. Median Native family income was \$13,889; median white family income was \$34,882. 44% of all households earned less than \$15,000. Per capita income was \$5,171, less than half that for the North Slope Borough (the only comparable rural borough in Alaska). 24.5% of all NANA region families were below the 1979 poverty level, a rate twice that of the North Slope Borough. Of the total Native civilian labor force, 28.6% were unemployed in 1980; of the total

white civilian labor force, 3.6% were unemployed. (4)

The economic base of the NANA region is predominantly Federal. state and local government. government spending accounted for nearly 90% of the total regional 1980. (24)Primary private sector income in development opportunities are in mining, owing to substantial mineralization the NANA of region. Large-scale mining operations provide wage paying jobs to large numbers of workers and support personnel. and employment spinoffs typically Secondary income occur. Tourism and related transportation, retail and services activities also are potential growth industries in the region.

limited participation in the cash economy, Beyond traditional subsistence activities maintain significant role in the day-to-day lives of NANA residents. In excess of 70% of the region's residents rely upon subsistence for over half of their diet. (5) Preservation of subsistence resources, and hence traditional lifestyles, has been a long-standing goal of the region. Nonetheless, the region also recognizes the benefits to be obtained through a thoughtfully managed development economy. If and when development, such as Red Dog, occurs, the region views regional government as the most effective and locally responsive means to effect that management in order to maximize positive local benefits and ensure the continuation of traditional subsistence lifestyles.

absence of any form of organized regional government, as is the case throughout the Unorganized Borough, the delivery of services is accomplished by a variety of governmental agencies and guasi-public institutions. As such, service delivery often tends to be fragmented, duplicative and remotely accountable. Public agencies, generally located outside of region, must deal with a variety of independent jurisdictions and authorities. Without an overall regional prioritization of needs, these agencies are independently making often faced with allocation decisions regarding their programs and services. The prospect of dwindling public resources will intensify the degree of competition for those resources, which in turn may prove to be detrimental to the best interests of the region as a whole. The formation of a borough government is essential to ensuring that the region's needs are met in a reasoned and responsive fashion.

III. <u>STATUTORY STANDARDS FOR INCORPORATION OF A BOROUGH</u> (AS 29.05.030)

Title 29 of Alaska Statutes specifies the standards for incorporation of a borough. There are four such standards, each of which is presented below, with a discussion of how this proposed incorporation satisfies each individual standard.

1. Population

As 29.05.030(a)(1) states: the population of the area is interrelated and integrated as to its social, cultural and economic activities, and is large and stable enough to support borough government.

As previously mentioned, the standard stipulated by ANCSA for establishing regional corporations addressed the common heritage and interest of the Native population within each region. This the <u>only</u> standard sociocultural standard was specified in ANCSA. Unless otherwise defensible, the corporation boundaries were to be the same as those of the Northwest Alaska Native Association, organized by Natives in the region to represent them and promote their best interests. Such associations existed throughout Alaska, predating the passage of ANCSA by half a decade. They were formed voluntarily by the people in the regions themselves, reflecting cultural and linquistic ties (2), and geographically encompassing areas traditionally used by the people in each region.

the time ANCSA was passed, the boundaries Αt between the NANA and Arctic Slope regions had not upon. Complicating the been mutually agreed boundary resolution issue was the simultaneous incorporation proceedings of the North Borough. The Northwest Alaska Native Association claimed that traditional NANA lands extended beyond the proposed North Slope Borough boundary the 68th degree north latitude. (11)at Subsequent negotiations settled on a corporate boundary to the north of the North Slope Borough it remains today. The area boundary, as ultimately included in the NANA region was somewhat less than that area identified by the Association in 1971. Originally, Point Hope was a member of the Northwest Alaska Native Association, but eventually elected to affiliate with the Arctic Slope Regional Corporation.

Regional Education Attendance Areas (REAAs) were

created to provide education services in the Unorganized Borough. The enabling legislation for REAAs specifically required the delineation of service areas educational in the Unorganized Borough using the same boundaries those as established by ANCSA for regional corporations. The statutes further required that each REAA contain "an integrated socio-economic. linguistically and culturally homogeneous area" (AS14.08.031). Consideration was to be given to the area's transportation and communication network; whenever possible, REAA boundaries were municipalities. be based upon to regional corporate entities. governmental or drainage basins and other identifiable geographic Furthermore, the boundaries of features. (12) each REAA were established only after an extensive period of hearings in communities throughout Alaska for the express purpose of confirming REAA boundaries individual in light of these statutory standards. The boundaries of the Northwest Arctic School District, the NANA region REAA, are identical to those of the NANA Regional Corporation, Inc., with the sole exception of the artificial jurisdictional demarcation of the North Slope Borough.

the Native Maniilaq Association, regional corporation the NANA non-profit in region, provides publicly funded social and health programs throughout the region. Maniilag serves the 11 communities in the NANA region; its Board is composed of representatives from each of the 11 communities. Under federal law. Maniilag Association is recognized as a regional tribal organization(6), reflecting not only Maniilaq's representative governing structure but also the close cultural and tribal ties of the region's 11 communities.

The economic interrelationships of the region's population are typified by the role of Kotzebue as the regional center. All three of the area's regional organizations (NANA, Maniilag and the school district) are headquartered in Kotzebue. Kotzebue is the location of those governmental agencies with offices in the NANA Kotzebue's airport is the largest in the region, serving as the hub airport for air transport services throughout the region. Kotzebue is also the region's port facility, from which goods are transshipped to the outlying communities. other community in Northwest Alaska functions in this capacity; virtually all goods and services destined for the NANA region pass through or originate in Kotzebue.

Trade historically has followed river systems or the coast. All of the region's communities are located on either a river system or the coast. A11 rivers in the region of the on communities are located flow to Kotzebue Sound. well trade patterns. as as cultural interchanges, have been defined by these natural systems, which in turn have shaped a natural focal point for the NANA region - Kotzebue.

The region's major local employers are all located in Kotzebue. NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. and Maniilaq Association are perhaps the most significant and important of these. Significant in that both of these organizations are dedicated to serving the people of the region and important in that both emphasize local hire and job skills development. NANA in particular places a great deal of emphasis on shareholder employment. (7)

Other major employers are Northwest Arctic School District, governmental agencies and local utilities and retail stores. Summer activities offer expanded employment opportunities,

the labor force attracting members of throughout the region to Kotzebue to work in the tourism, fishing, shipping and construction industries. Very few of the region's residents leave the region seeking employment. would severly restrict their important participation in subsistence activities.

The population of the region has historically been stable; the major components of change have been natural increase and in-migration of non-Natives. Of the 4,120 Natives resident in the region in 1980, fully 98% were born in Alaska; it is reasonable to assume that the majority of these people were born in the NANA region. In contrast, 84% of the white population of the region was born outside of Alaska. 58% of all Native persons were living in the same house in 1980 that they were living in in 1975. Of the 3,053 Natives over 16 years of age, only 131 were living outside of the region in 1975. (4)

In 1970, the population of the NANA region was 4,048, of which 3,497 (86%) were Native. Kotzebue's 1970 population was 1,696, of which 1,326 were Native. Thus, of the total non-Native population of 551, fully two-thirds (370) resided

in Kotzebue. Although Kotzebue had 45% of the region's population (including the Air Force Station), it only had 38% of the region's Native population. (13)

1980 Вy comparison. in the region's total population of 4,831 was 85% Native (4,110 total) (Exhibit II). Of the total non-Native population of 721, 67% (480) resided in Kotzebue. Kotzebue's percentage of the total Native population in the region remained at 38% (1,574 people out 4,110). Thus, it can be seen that overall growth patterns in the region have been fairly consistent over the past two censuses, and that Kotzebue's growth has been the same relative to the rest of the region.

Between 1950 and 1980, Kotzebue accounted for 57% of the region's population increase, as its population more than tripled. In contrast, the population changes in the other communities have been erratic and far less dramatic. While Kotzebue grew by 1,431 people between 1950 and 1980, the rest of the communities combined grew by 1,066. Between 1950 and 1960, Kotzebue alone grew by 667 people, more than doubling in size. The remainder of the region increased by only 235

people. (13) Exhibits I & II summarizes population figures for the region from 1950 to 1980.

Analyzing the components of population change between 1970 and 1980 reveals the following. The population net change was 783. During the decade, total births were 1,234 and total deaths were 286. (14) Since the population change due to natural increase was 948, while the total population increase was only 783, the region experienced a net out-migration of 165 people. (Exhibit III) It therefore appears that over the past thirty years the dynamics of the region's population growth has stabilized, with natural increase becoming the predominant component of change rather than in-migration.

The region's population in 1984 was 6,110 according to State revenue sharing figures and local estimates for Noatak. This represents an increase of 1,279 people over the 1980 U.S. Census population. On the average, the region's population has been changing by approximately 320 people per year.

The population base of the region is more than adequate to support a borough government. The

NANA region's population exceeds that of the Bristol Bay Borough, Haines Borough, and that of the North Slope Borough. In qualitative terms, the region has a solid foundation of experienced leaders in both the public and private sector. Ten of the region's communities are second-class cities; the first to incorporate was Kotzebue in 1958, the last was Selawik in 1977. Service in these local governments and on the Boards of the organizations three regional has provided extensive and valuable training in decision-making tenets of representative governance. and the statewide Moreover. the NANA region has a reputation for the quantity and quality of its leaders.

2. Boundaries

AS 29.05.030(a)(2) states: the boundaries of the proposed borough conform generally to natural geography and include all areas necessary for full development of municipal services.

Historically, regions were settled partly on the basis of geographic constraints and partly on the basis of the availability of subsistence resources, which in turn is dependent to varying

degrees on geographic conditions. Mountain ranges often formed barriers to the movement and interchange of peoples, while rivers and the oceans provided transportation routes and facilitated subsistence activities and cultural contact.

NANA region encompasses a series of river drainages, all of which emanate in the various mountain ranges ringing the region and all of which terminate in Kotzebue Sound or coastal areas around Kivalina. The boundaries of NANA Regional Corporation were drawn specifically to include most of these drainages in their entirety, thus maintaining the integrity of whole watersheds and the valuable subsistence resources they nourish. Accordingly, the corporation's boundaries run from the coast along the crest of the Brooks Range in the north, then along the crest of the foothills of the Brooks Range in the east and likewise the Purcell Mountains and Selawik Hills to the south. The southwestern portion of the corporation's boundaries extends through the upper reaches of the river systems draining the northern flanks of the higher elevations of the Seward Peninsula.

An examination of the geographic distribution of

subsistence activities within the NANA region reveals the reliance upon and extensive use of entire river drainages and associated uplands. For example, residents of the region identified the Kivalina, Wulik and Noatak Rivers as intensive resource use areas. (38) In fact, virtually all of the river systems within the region support subsistence activities, ranging from their origins in the surrounding mountains to their coastal deltas.

Further support for the geographic integrity of NANA region is evidenced by the number, locations and extent of conservation units in the region created by the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA, PL 96-487). The Congressional purpose for establishing stated conservation units was to preserve these natural and the wildlife outstanding areas dependent upon them. (8) Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve, for example, was established to, among other goals, maintain the environmental integrity of mountains, natural rivers, lakes and other natural features. (8,9) Noatak National Preserve was created to maintain the environmental integrity of the Noatak River and adjacent uplands, to protect wildlife habitat and archaeological resources and to promote scientific research. (8,37) An effective way to accomplish these goals is to include entire watersheds within the boundaries of the various conservation units, and to designate appropriate portions of river systems as wild and scenic rivers. Both the Salmon River, a tributary of the Kobuk River, and the Noatak River are designated wild and scenic rivers. (35, 37)

It is noteworthy that virtually the entire northern and eastern boundaries of the NANA region are located within conservation units, as are virtually the entire length of the Noatak River and the headwaters of both the Noatak and Kobuk Rivers. Congress therefore underscored in both ANCSA and ANILCA the logic and recognition of natural geographic systems employed by NANA when its boundaries were established.

The proposed borough boundaries include all areas full development of necesary for municipal Within the proposed borough is services. Kotzebue, the regional center, with its port and facilities and the infrastructure airport necessary for the distribution of goods services throughout the region. The proposed borough also includes, of course, the other 10 communities of the NANA region, which themselves will be both recipients and providers of services in varying degrees. As noted previously, the boundaries of the 2 major regional service delivery organizations (Maniilaq and the school district) are identical to those of the borough, with the exception of the school district's northern boundary.

A number of sizeable mineralized areas are located proposed borough which, if fully within the developed, will provide both revenues and employment opportunities. These include the Red Dog, Lik, Ambler/Bornite and Deering/Candle mining districts. Mining activities of a limited nature already occur in the Ambler and Candle districts. The proposed port and road for the Red Dog mining project are also within the proposed borough's boundaries. The Red dog port may eventually serve as the port of entry for bulk goods, such as fuel, for the region. If so, this may potentially reduce shipping costs, which are high at Kotzebue due to the extensive lightering necessitated by the shallow waters of Kotzebue Sound.

There are no other areas or communities in the

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proximity of the proposed borough that could reasonably be expected to receive services from the proposed borough. A minor exception to this is the community of Point Hope, in the North Slope Borough. Point Hope participates in the health programs administered by Maniilaq Association and has a representative on the Maniilaq Health Board. However, Point Hope is already situated within an organized borough and is not considered to be a part of the proposed borough.

3. Economy

AS 29.05.030(a)(3) states: the economy of the includes the human and financial area capable of providing municipal resources services: evaluation of an area's economy use, property values, includes land economic base, total personal income, resource commercial development. and anticipated functions, expenses and income of the proposed borough.

The economy of the NANA region is typical of those in remote, rural areas of the Unorganized Borough. Lacking a developed resource base, or a large commercial fishing industry, the region's economy

is characterized by a heavy dependence on public sector spending. Private sector development is primarily in the wholesale, warehousing, retail sales, and service sectors. (Exhibit IV) Construction is an important seasonal industry, but it is largely publicly financed.

As the above statutory standard attests, the key consideration is whether the proposed borough possesses sufficient human and financial resources to properly discharge the responsibilities Previous discussions municipal government. this brief attested to the leadership abilities and extensive governmental experience available in region. Unquestionably, the region the NANA the human resources required includes successfully operate a borough.

Of greater concern is the extent to which adequate financial resources exist to satisfy this Ιt is readily apparent that the standard. region's economy, as presently constituted, more than likely is not strong or diversified enough to support a borough government. The Red Dog project therefore assumes greater importance, for it not only increases the region's base and tax employment, it also serves to diversify an economy dangerously limited in scope.

Section II of this brief presented 1980 U.S. Census data corroborating the region's economic dependence on the public sector, and its high unemployment and low income levels, particularily for the Native population. A key element of the NANA Regional Strategy is economic development; as part of the region's effort to assess its economic future forecasts of population and employment for the current decade were prepared. These forecasts highlighted a disturbing trend: sector expansion significant private in economy, population will increase approximately 34% while employment will increase only 6% through Since the State of Alaska properly 1990. (5) expects local governments to be as self-sufficient as possible, continued reliance on public sector economic activity is not prudent.

question, the greatest potential Without regional, private sector economic development is in the extraction and export of mineral resources. the most promising and Red Dog is the region's prospective imminent of A great deal of analysis has been operations. the income and employment performed on

opportunities likely to be generated by the Red Dog Project. However, before exploring this aspect of the region's economy, it is necessary to first develop a profile of the region's economy as it is presently constructed.

As already mentioned, the single most significant the NANA region's economy component of In 1970, of the 650 people 16 years government. of age and older who were employed, approximately 369 (57%) were employed by the government. were employed by the federal and state governments and 40 by local governments. The second largest group was in retail trade, where approximately 69 (11%) were employed. 55 people were people employed in transportation and 42 in utilities and sanitary services. 19 people reported employment in the mining industry, 26 in construction and 18 in manufacturing. (23)

It should be noted that direct comparisons between the 1970 U.S. Census and 1980 U.S. Census are 1970, the Kobuk difficult. In Census Area included Point Hope; the Kobuk Census Area used in 1980 more nearly approximates the NANA region. tabulate The 1970 Census did not detailed statistics on the Native population as in 1980. Categories of data presented in the 1970 Census were different than, and not as detailed as, those used in 1980. The 1980 Census, for example, tabulated government workers by all 3 levels of government (local, state and federal), while the 1970 Census aggregated federal and state government workers.

Despite these differences, general comparisons of 1970 and 1980 Census data are illustrative of the socioeconomic characteristics of the NANA region and how they have changed over the intervening years.

In 1980, 67% of the labor force was employed by either the federal, state or local governments. Of the 803 people employed by government as reported in the 1980 Census, 442 (55%) worked for the State and 219 (27%) worked for the various local governments. A total of 401 persons, or 33% of those employed, worked in the private sector, either as wage and salaried workers or self-employed. (4)

By industry, the next largest group of workers were employed in the transportation, communications and public utilities sector (144,

12% of total employed). Following closely behind was the 137 (11%) employed in the retail trade sector. 50 people were reported as employed construction. figure a which seriously understates the seasonal fluctuations in this particular industry. Sixteen people reported employment in mining and only 5 in manufacturing. 60 people reported employment in various services, business. such as repair and entertainment/recreation. (4)

Non-Natives one-third of represent the total 16 years employed persons Not over of age. surprisingly, this segment οf the employed professional, managerial dominates the educational occupational specialities. This fact accounts for the considerably higher income levels of non-Natives, as these occupations typically are found in the government sector. The employed Natives concentrate in tend to administrative support and education occupations. The Native component also has representation in the managerial and professional specialty occupational category (approximately 26% total employed Natives). This undoubtedly reflects the prominent roles of NANA, Maniilag and the school district in the overall employment of the region.

expected, the vast be majority Αs employers, and hence employment opportunities, are located in Kotzebue. The major employers in the outlying communities are the school district and the municipal governments. In Selawik, one of the communities, for example. largest of these Maniilag Manpower's Career Survey lists a total of 45 jobs. The City of Selawik provides 12 of these and Northwest Arctic School District 21. I.R.A. Council lists 5 positions and the Selawik Farm Project lists 3 positions. The remainder are two airline agents and two store managers. (15)

Kobuk, the smallest community, has a total of 15 jobs. The school district provides 6, the City also 6, Manillaq 2 and an airline 1. (15)

In Kotzebue, on the other hand, Maniilaq Manpower's <u>Career Survey</u> tabulated a total of approximately 38 employers in both the public and private sectors offering in excess of 900 jobs. The largest employers were the Northwest Arctic School District (116), Maniilaq Association (197), the City of Kotzebue (99), the federal government (102), and the State of Alaska (101). (15) The

केंद्र स्थानको स्थापन केंद्र larger private employers were NANA (24, plus up to 40 more in the Nul-Luk-Vik hotel (34)), Alaska Commercial Company (36), Hanson's K.D.C. (33), KOTZ Broadcasting (13), OTZ Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (11) and Kotzebue Electric Association (16 minimum). (15)

The above data offers further verification that publicly-funded employment accounts for two-thirds of the jobs in Kotzebue, and the bulk of jobs available in the smaller communities. The largest of the private sector employers are, for the most part, entirely concentrated in the services and retail trade sectors. NANA, as owner of the Nul-Luk-Vik Hotel in Kotzebue, partially falls within this category.

An assessment of the overall economic base of the NANA region reveals the magnitude of government's contribution to the region's economy (Exhibit V). An economic analysis performed as part of the NANA coastal management program valued the total 1980 economic base at approximately \$63,340,000. (24) This figure represents the total income, or revenues, generated directly and indirectly in the NANA region by the various sectors of the region's economy. Of that \$63,340,000, state government

provides approximately \$31.5 million the federal government \$24.0 million. Thus. the combined contributions of the state and federal governments (\$55.5 million) constitute fully 88% of the total regional economy. State expenditures alone account for nearly one-half of the total. The private sector provides the balance of the economic base, approximately \$7.8 million (12%). (Exhibit IV) Income from private sector activities is primarily concentrated in wholesale and retail trade activities and mining.

In 1980, mining and related exploration activities contributed only \$1.9 million to the region's economy. This represents 24% of the total private sector economy but only 3% of the total regional economy. However, mining and exploration activities are significant contributors to the economic base of the outlying communities and are, in fact, the largest private sector component of these communities' economic base. (24)

If this relationship holds, then the development of the Red Dog mine will produce positive economic benefits not only in Kotzebue but also in the smaller communities, where such opportunities are severely restricted. The projected levels of

employment for the major stages of mine development are 500 for construction and 400 for mine production. (17, 40) Additionally, it is estimated that indirect and secondary employment generated by Red Dog will range from 200-300 jobs. (17, 39)

A substantial portion of the mine workforce is to be local residents, as specified in the joint agreement between Cominco Alaska and NANA Regional Corporation. (25) According to the terms of that agreement, the project is to employ increasing numbers of local residents as they acquire the through Cominco-sponsored requisite skills In fact, during the period training programs. 1982-1985, Cominco Alaska employed 108 residents out of the total 159 people employed on project. (40) comparison, Ιn projections for the levels of direct employment to be captured by residents of the region range from 40% of construction jobs to 50-75% production jobs. Of these jobs held by residents, slightly less than half will be filled by Kotzebue residents and the remainder by residents from the other 10 communities. (39) Residents will also participate in the indirect and secondary employment generated by the mine project. The State's report to the Governor (39) estimated that 25% of indirect and secondary employment during the construction phase would be in the NANA region, and during full production approximately 47% of indirect and secondary employment would be in the NANA region. The same report estimated that these jobs would be equally divided between Kotzebue and all the other communities during both phases.

Since it is reasonable to expect that some portion of the resident workforce will vacate existing jobs to work at the mine, or to fill the secondary or indirect jobs, then additional job opportunities will be made available for other unemployed or underemployed residents. Thus, opportunities for upward mobility in the labor force will be afforded to residents and possibly in-migrants. (26)

Projected levels of personal income for residents resulting from mine payrolls range from \$3.5 to \$7.0 million annually during construction to \$7.5 to \$8.4 million during operation. (26, 39) The distribution of income within the region will be proportional to the ditribution of jobs, i.e., Kotzebue residents will account for slightly less

than half (46%) and residents in the other 10 communities will receive the balance (54%). (39) Cominco Alaska estimates total annual expenditures of \$100 million (in 1985 dollars) during the 50-year life of the project. This includes wages and benefits, transportation costs, supplies and materials, state taxes and royalty payments to NANA Regional Corporation.

Thus, the nature of the impacts to the NANA region due to Red Dog is indeed dramatic and significant. The changes it will produce in the region's economy will be profound and long-term. The mine is scheduled to operate for 50 years. (17) The prospect of mining operations at the nearby Lik and Su deposits will generate even employment, population and economic impacts. (41) Beyond these potential mining operations, the prospects for private sector economic development are less certain.

The land ownership patterns in the NANA region significantly limit other opportunities for economic development, particularly additional large-scale resource-based development. This is primarily due to the extent of public ownership of land within the region. Of the approximately

23.000.000 acres of land encompassed by proposed borough, fully 63% or over 14,000,000 acres, are federal lands, mostly within the 6 different conservation units established by ANILCA Bridge National Preserve. (Bering Land Krusenstern National Monument, Noatak National Preserve, Kobuk Valley National Park, Selawik National Wildlife Refuge and Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve). An additional 25% are State selected, (5.7 million acres) tentatively approved or patented lands. (16)

The balance is privately owned; NANA Regional Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation. Inc. and Corporation (Kotzebue's village corporation) own a million of 2.4 acres, or combined total approximately 10%. (16) Other privately owned lands are Native allotments and patented townsite lots throughout various communities.

The large number of conservation units in the NANA region does provide a potential source of economic activity-tourism. The NANA region already has a limited tourism industry, consisting primarily of summer tours in Kotzebue. However, this industry is highly cyclical; 1983 was a poor year compared to previous years, contributing to increased

losses at NANA's Kotzebue hotel. (7) The region's spectacular natural scenery has always drawn outdoor recreation enthusiasts; the creation of the conservation units should in all likelihood increase that attraction. Kotzebue will be the focal point for most, if not all, of these tourist-related activities. The National Park Service regional headquarters is in Kotzebue. Tourists most likely will visit the headquarters facility and NANA's Museum of the Arctic prior to embarking on tours of the various conservation units.

potential, renewable resource-based There are economic development activities that could take place on public lands. The two most promising are reindeer herding agriculture. (5) and activities already occur to a limited extent-farming at Selawik and reindeer herding at Buckland, Deering and Candle. The NANA Regional Strategy has identified additional sites in the region that could support agriculture and reindeer grazing. (5) This is in keeping with the region's goals to offer local employment while at the same time promoting regional self-sufficiency through expanded import substitution. (5)

Development on privately owned land that has the greatest economic potential is mining. Besides Red Dog, sizeable mineral deposits are known to Ambler/Bornite exist at Lik, Su. and Deering/Candle. The economic feasibility of the Lik deposit located near Red Dog should be considerably enhanced once the Red Dog mine, road and port become operational. (17)

Returning to the fundamental issue raised by the economy standard-i.e., is the region's economy sufficient to support a borough - the following points are germane. A municipal government has 3 mechanisms available to it under State law to generate revenues locally - a property tax, a sales and use tax, and the issuance of bonds. Without a substantial expansion of the region's private sector economy, and a commensurate increase in the region's tax base, it is unlikely that sufficient revenues from either means of taxation would be generated to support borough government, especially in light of the uncertainty of continued or consistent sources of public funding. It is equally unlikely that the region could issue bonds and incur indebtedness without a demonstrable means of guaranteeing repayment. (42, 43) Section V.7 of this brief discusses the

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proposed borough's budget and estimated property tax revenues. The State's detachment brief also discussed the issue of borough revenues and costs. (10) Clearly, the Red Dog project, and other potential mining projects, are the principle economic foundation of a Northwest Arctic Borough.

4. Transportation

AS 29.05.030(a)(4) states: land, water and air transportation facilities allow the communication and exchange necessary for the development of integrated borough government.

The communities in the NANA region are interconnected by an air transportation network that operates year round and by barge service in the summer. Land transportation facilities are restricted to winter snowmachine trails and ice roads connecting nearby villages. The proposed Red Dog road would be the only permanent, year-round road in the NANA region.

Kotzebue has the only airport large enough to handle jets and larger cargo aircraft. Daily passenger service to and from Nome and Anchorage is offered by Alaska Airlines, with three

scheduled jet flights each weekday and two daily flights on weekends. Regularly scheduled cargo service to Kotzebue is provided 7 times a week by Mark Air. Flights to the outlying communities are provided on a regularly scheduled basis by Ryan Air, Bering Air, Baker Aviation, Cape Smythe Air Service and Shellabarger Flying Service. Every community in the region receives at least three regularly scheduled flights on weekdays; most have daily service. (Exhibit VI) In Addition, 3 charter air services operate out of Kotzebue and 2 village-based charter air taxi operators (Ambler Air in Ambler and Lee's Sea Air in Kiana) provide additional air transportation services.

All of the outlying communities have airports capable of handling small passenger planes at a Ιn addition, 4 of the communities have runways 3000 feet in length and longer (Buckland, Kiana, Noorvik and Shungnak). Shungnak's runway is currently being lengthened to State's FY86 Transportation 4000 feet. The Capital Improvements Program has earmarked approximately \$11.5 million for airport improvements at Ambler, Kivalina, Noatak and Selawik. Kivalina, Noatak and Selawik runways are to be lengthened, and Ambler and Selawik are to

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have crosswind runways constructed. (44)

Kotzebue is served during the ice-free summer months by 3 Seattle-based mainline barge companies - Alaska Marine Lines. Northland and Pacific As the need arises, Kivalina and Alaska Line. Deering occasionally receive direct barge service Barge service to the outlying communities typically is provided as sufficient goods destined for the communities are stockpiled in Kotzebue. service is, variable, depending of Frequency chiefly on the duration of ice-free water and the the water in the rivers. depth of communities receive two to three barge shipments a summer.

Additionally, every community in the region has service. A11 telephone service telephone provided by OTZ Telephone Corporative, Inc. Kotzebue. No other telephone utilities operate in Both the school district and region. the NANA media Maniilag Association have extensive facilities, such as video, slide and newsletter, routinely used to communicate and which are ideas, educational materials and exchange services. Maniilaq Association's newsletter, the Northwest Arctic NUNA, conveys information and news of importance to people in the region.

The NANA region's relatively compact size and the distribution of its communities greatly facilitates the provision of transportation and communication services. No community is more than one hour's flying time by small plane from either Kotzebue or the closest other community.

IV. REGULATORY STANDARDS FOR INCORPORATION OF A BOROUGH (19 AAC 10.160)

In addition to the statutory standards addressed above, the Alaska Administrative Code, in Title 19, contains 5 additional standards which must be satisfied by a proposed borough incorporation. Each of these regulatory standards is presented and discussed below.

1. Number of Communities

19 AAC 10.160.(1) states: the area includes at least two separate communities.

The NANA region has eleven separate, permanently inhabited communities - Ambler, Buckland, Deering, Kiana, Kivalina, Kobuk, Kotzebue, Noatak, Noorvik, Selawik and Shungnak. The mining community of

Candle historically had a sizeable population as reported in previous U.S. Censuses through 1960. Candle's population is now only seasonal and quite small.

2. Transportation Services

19 AAC 10.160(2) states: transportation services are available at least once a week between communities located within the area on a regularly scheduled or charter basis, or communities located within the area which do not have regularly scheduled transportation services are connected by a highway system.

As discussed in Section III.4., transportation services are available by air on a regularly scheduled daily basis. Ryan Air, for example, offers daily flights from Kotzebue to seven of the region's outlying communities. Ambler, Kobuk and Shungnak are served every day but Sunday. (18) Similarly, Bering Air, Cape Smythe Air Service and Baker Aviation, Inc. offer regularly scheduled air service to the region's communities. (Exhibit VI)

3. Revenues

19 AAC 10.160 (3) states: there are sufficient anticipated revenues to maintain and operate, at a minimum, the mandatory powers of the proposed borough government.

Section V.7 of this brief presents a detailed discussion of the proposed borough's budget for its first full fiscal year of operation. described therein, the Northwest Arctic Borough intends to initially exercise only the mandatory powers required by Alaska statutes. The proposed accordingly structured budget is to revenues sufficient to deliver that level previously stated. service. Also. as development and operation of the Red Dog mine is the financial viability critical to proposed Northwest Arctic Borough.

Initially, a significant portion of the borough's budget is to be derived from public sources. The necessity for adequately funding the startup costs of a borough government was recognized by the Alaska Legislature in its enactment of SCS CSHB 72 in 1985 (Chap 74 SLA 1985). In Section 29.05.190 of that bill, organizational grants of \$300,000

were authorized for the first full or partial fiscal year of a newly organized borough's existence. The amount of this organizational grant is reduced to \$200,000 in the second year of the borough's existence and to \$100,000 in its third year. (19)

The State also provides funding to local governments through the State Revenue Sharing and Municipal Aid programs. The federal government has also provided funding to local governments through the federal revenue sharing program, although the future of that program is currently uncertain. (20) Accordingly, it was assumed that no funding would be made available under that program, as advised by the Office of Federal Revenue Sharing.

Education funds are provided by the State. As can be seen from the proposed borough budget presented in Section V.7, the magnitude of the education component is far and away the greatest of any of the budgetary line items. For purposes of determining the first full fiscal year budget, it was assumed that the level of funding provided by the State would be sufficient to at a minimum maintain the level of education services currently

being provided by the Northwest Arctic School District.

The NANA region is a participant in the Alaska Coastal Management Program and, as such, receives grant funds from the State of Alaska to develop and implement the region's coastal management program. The amount of funding reflected in the proposed borough budget is based upon the estimated level of funding to be provided by the State of Alaska plus a pro-rated estimate of funds remaining in the region's existing grant. (21)

The region is also eligible to receive funds under the State's Shared Revenue-Fisheries program. The amounts received by the region over the past three years has been highly variable. (22)However, a reasonable estimate anticipated fisheries taxes shared revenues was made for purposes of budget preparation. proposed borough is not eligible for any other shared revenue programs of a significant nature administered by the State.

The balance of the proposed borough budget is derived from locally generated property tax revenues. The level of such revenues is a

function of the assessed value of taxable real and personal property within the borough and the mill rate levied by the borough assembly. The proposed reflects an estimate of the region's budget assessed value; the genesis of this estimate is more fully described in Section V.7. The proposed mill rate to be initially levied by the borough is mills, a rate sufficient to generate the necessary balance of funds required to exercise the mandatory borough powers. As the demand for services increases, property tax revenues will also increase in concert with an increase in the borough's tax base. This increased tax base will primarily be due to the Red Dog mine.

The estimated assessed value of taxable property in the NANA region used in preparing the borough's budget is \$125,672,500. (See Section V.7) It is estimated that the Red Dog mine will \$250,000,000 approximately in taxable add improvements to the region's tax base. (10,17) As development proceeds and the capital mine facilities are constructed, the region's tax base will incrementally increase, generating additional This will allow the borough revenues. gradually expand its service delivery capabilities in anticipation of projected mine startup by the end of the decade.

4. Population

19 AAC 10.160(4) states: there are at least 1000 people located within the area.

The 1980 U.S. Census tabulated a total population of 4,831 persons. State Revenue Sharing figures for the ten incorporated communities, plus local estimates for the unincorporated community of Noatak, indicated a 1983 population of 6,077 and a 1984 population of 6,110.

5. Area

19 AAC 10.160(5) states: the area includes, at a minimum, one entire regional education attendance area unless the commission determines that a smaller area can otherwise meet borough government standards for incorporation.

The NANA region at the present time in fact contains one entire REAA, the Northwest Arctic School District, and a small portion of the North Slope Borough School District. Assuming the detachment effort is successful, the detached area

would become part of the Northwest Arctic School District upon incorporation of the NANA region. Regardless, there are no communities or permanent residents within the area proposed for detachment (10), and neither the North Slope Borough nor the Northwest Arctic School District currently provide educational services therein.

V. DETAILS OF PROPOSED INCORPORATION

1. Class

The NANA region proposes to incorporate as a borough of the first class. A first class borough affords residents the desired degree of flexibility and local self-determination within the statutory requirements of Title 29 of Alaska Statutes.

2. Name

The name of the proposed borough is the Northwest Arctic Borough.

3. Boundaries

The boundaries of the proposed borough identical to those of NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. as established under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and as adjusted to conform to the boundaries of the State of Alaska across the waters of Kotzebue · Sound and along the coastline. Appendix A of the Petition for Incorporation as a First' Class Borough contains a map of the proposed borough; Appendix B presents the proposed borough's legal description.

4. Borough Assembly

The proposed borough assembly is to be composed of 11 members, each representing districts elected at large. The districts of representation identical to those established for the are School Northwest Arctic District Board. This scheme provides a degree of continuity in regional representation and acknowledges the existence of a functioning and established mechanism for electing local representatives.

5. Borough Powers

Initially, the borough will exercise only the mandatory powers specified in AS 29.35.150-.180: education, assessment and collection of taxes, and land use regulation. Additional powers will be exercised when the need arises and when sufficient locally generated revenues are available to support the exercise of those powers.

Education powers will be assumed immediately upon incorporation. The existing REAA administration, staff and facilities will be retained and will be transferred to the borough as the borough school district. In the interests of continuity and ease of transition, the existing REAA school board will also be retained. Elections for school board members will be held at the next appropriate general election.

The borough will also assume the taxation power incorporation. immediately upon AS 29.05.210 requires the Alaska Department of Community and Affairs to assist Regional the borough in determining the initial property tax assessment role, including contracting for property This appraisals. assistance will be sought

immediately, as the borough will need to generate property tax revenues as expeditiously as possible.

The powers of planning, platting and land use regulation will also be assumed by the borough immediately following incorporation. This will be chiefly accomplished by the transfer of existing coastal management and regional strategy planning functions from their current sponsor, Maniilag Association, to the borough. The City of Kotzebue also currently exercises the planning power, and negotiations regarding the exercise of those powers will begin immediately, with the intent to complete said negotiations within 6 months of incorporation. Since AS 29.40.010 (b) authorizes a borough to delegate these powers to a city within a borough, if that city consents by ordinance, the option exists for the City of Kotzebue to retain its planning powers.

There are no other cities within the NANA region exercising powers to be assumed by the borough.

6. Borough Administration

The administration of the proposed borough will be the absolute minimum required to properly and efficiently carry out the borough's duties. and appropriate, contract possible Wherever services will be utilized rather than borough staff. Such is the case with legal services; the borough should not require the services of a full-time staff attorney during its first year. The Department of Administration and Finance will also function as the borough assessor, in concert with the mandated assistance of the State. Department of Education is entirely composed of the existing REAA, and far and away comprises the bulk of the borough's budget and staffing.

7. Borough Budget

The proposed borough budget is structured to accommodate the provision of services mandated by State law and the desired size of the borough administration. The budget is composed of state funds provided through a variety of sources and locally generated property tax revenues. (Exhibit VII)

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It should be noted that all of the identified sources of revenue and their respective funding amounts are estimates. For example, State Revenue Sharing entitlements are in part a direct function of the amount of locally generated revenue. An increase in property tax revenues, for example, results in a proportionate increase in State Revenue Sharing funds. Final Revenue entitlements, however, are determined by the total legislative appropriations each fiscal year and the number of recipients among whom the funds are distributed. (27,28) Based upon the borough's estimated 1983 population of 6,079 and projected property tax revenues of \$377,000, the estimated Sharing entitlement for State Revenue the Northwest Arctic Borough is \$65,000.

Assistance funds Municipal are provided to boroughs on a per capita basis for that portion of borough population residing outside the of incorporated cities. The estimated allocation of Municipal Assistance funds \$35,000. is as determined by the Department of Community Regional Affairs. (29)

The projected State coastal management grant funding of \$142,500 is a combination of the

pro-rated grant currently awarded the region and a pro-rated share of the anticipated grant for the next federal fiscal year. The borough budget was developed for a full fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1986, while coastal management grants awarded by the federal fiscal year (October 1 -The region's current grant is September 30). expended at an average of being \$10,000/month, providing a balance of \$30,000 for the period July 1 - September 30, 1986. According the Department of Community and Regional Affairs, the region is slated to receive an additional \$150,000 in federal fiscal year 87. Pro-rated over the nine month period from (21)October 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987, this grant will provide \$112,500 the borough. The to coastal management grant funds available therefore to the borough are \$142,500.

The estimated funding for education is based upon the current REAA budget plus the REAA's estimates for additional funding available only to borough school districts. This additional funding derives from PL 81-874 funds (federal impact aid) and from State cigarette tax shared revenues, and totals approximately \$2,860,000. (30)

Newly incorporated boroughs are entitled to receive organization grants from the State, authorized in AS29.05.190, in the amount of \$300,000 for the first full or partial fiscal year of operation. The borough would also be entitled to receive a portion of fisheries tax revenues State collected the in the bν region. authorized in AS 43.75.130, taxes collected within an incorporated city within an organized borough are shared equally by the city and borough. Both receive a 25% share of the total taxes collected. (31) Projected revenues are based upon previous tax revenues reported by the State Department of Revenue, (22) coupled with planned improvements to local processing facilities. (7)

Property tax revenues are extremely difficult to project given the absence of an assessed full and true value of all taxable property in the region. Therefore, estimates provided by the State of Alaska employed. These estimates were provided the State verbally bу Assessor determined for FY85 (32) and derived from the 1984 Alaska Taxable. (33) The 1985 Alaska Taxable was not available at the time these estimates were prepared.

The total estimated full and true value for real personal property in the NANA region as determined by the State Assessor, is \$209,314,325. This figure excluded the unincorporated community of Noatak, since it does not have taxing authority under State law. The State's procedure estimating the full and true value of real and personal property in such a situation is multiply the population of the community by a figure derived by the State that represents the average statewide per capita full and true value of real and personal property. (32)\$41,101, multiplied by the estimated figure, Noatak population of 300, generates an estimated full and true value of real and personal property in Noatak of \$12,330,300. Therefore, the total estimated full and true value of real and personal property in the NANA region is \$221,644,625.

Several adjustments to this figure were then necessary. First, the borough intends to exempt personal property form taxation. Since the State's figures do not provide a distinction between real and personal property, an estimate of the value of personal property had to be derived. Table XI-A of the 1984 Alaska Taxable presents separate values for real and personal property in

those municipalities that levy a property tax. On the average, personal property accounts for approximately 10% of the total full and true value of real and personal property. Accordingly, the total figure for the NANA region was reduced by 10%, to a value of \$199,480,680.

Secondly, the estimates for full and true value of real property generated by the State do not take into full account the presence and extent of non-taxable real property (e.g., allotments, restricted deed townsite lots, Native corporation land and land owned by non-profit organizations), nor do they make any allowance for the various exemptions to property taxation authorized under State law (residential property exemptions, Senior Citizens property tax exemption and so on). (32) An estimate of the taxable full and true value of real property was required, since only an actual, on-site property assessment could accurately determine the taxable status and value of any given piece of property. The taxable value of real property full and true estimated be 70% conservatively to of the estimated full and true value, or a total value of \$139,636,114 for all taxable real property.

It was further assumed that the assessed value of real property, as determined by the borough, would be 90% of full and true value, or \$125,672,500. The borough proposes to levy a 3 mill property tax. Therefore, total estimated property taxes are 0.3% of \$125,672,500, or \$377,000.

The borough does not propose to levy a sales or use tax. Presently, 9 of the 10 municipalities in the region levy sales taxes. Kobuk does not levy a sales tax, Kotzebue and Deering levy 3% sales taxes and the remainder levy 2% sales taxes.

A detailed operating budget for the first full fiscal year of borough operation is attached as Exhibit VII.

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POPULATION OF THE KOBUK CENSUS AREA

1950, 1960, 1970, 1980

		POPULA		
COMMUNITY	<u>1950</u>	<u>1960</u>	1970	<u>1980</u>
Ambler	0	70	176	192
Buckland	108	87	104	177
Deering	174	95	85	150
Kiana	181	253	278	345
Kivalina	117	143	188	241
Kobuk	38	54	165	62
Kotzebue	623	1,290	1,696	2,054
Noatak	326	275	293	273
Noorvik	248	384	462	492
Selawik	273	348	429	535
Shungnak	141	135	165	202
Candle	105	102	-	-
Other			7	108
TOTAL	2,334	3,236	4,048	4,831

SOURCE: Alaska Department of Labor. Alaska Population Overview-1983, 1984 and U.S. Census, 1950, 1960, 1970 and 1980.

<u>EXHIBIT II</u>

NATIVE POPULATION OF NANA REGION COMMUNITIES

1980

		Americ	an Ind	ian, Esk	cimo & /	Aleut	
	All Races	To Numbe	Per- r cent	Amer- ican Indian	Eskimo	Aleut	Non- Native
Region	4831 4724 192 177 150	4113 4058 155 161 138	85.1 85.9 80.7 91.0 92.0	35	2 4023 - 155 - 161 1 137	3 - - -	718 666 37 16 12 20
Kiana	345 241 62 2054 273	325 237 59 1574 259	94.2 98.3 95.2 76.6 94.9		2 257	3	4 3 480 14
Noorvik	492 536 202	467 504 179	94.9 94.0 88.6		4 463 2 502 1 178	-	25 32 23
Native villages	107	55	51.4		3 52		52

SOURCE: 1980 U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT. American Indian Areas and Alaska Native Villages: 1980.

EXHIBIT III

ALASKA POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS BY CENSUS AREA

COMPONENTS OF CHANGE 1970-1980

Census Areas	April 1, 1980 Pop.	April 1, 1970 Pop.	Chg. 1970-80	% Chg. 1970-80	Average Annual Rate of Change	Births 1970-80	Deaths 1970-80	Net Mig.	Average Annual Birth Rate (%)	Average Annual Death Rate (%)	Annual Net Mig. Rate (%)
Aleutian Islands	7758	7834	-66	-0.84	80.0	1266	204	-1128	1.62	0.26	-1.45
Anchorage Borough	174431	126385	48046	38.02	3.19	34834	5340	18552	2.32	0.36	1.23
Bethel C.A.	10999	8917	2082	23.35	2.09	2506	561	138	2.52	0.56	0.14
Bristol Bay C.A.	1094	1147	-53	4.62	-0.47	308	46	-315	2.74	0.41	-2.81
Dillingham C.A.	4616	3872	744	19.21	1.75	916	262	90	2.16	0.62	0.21
Fairbanks North Star Borough	53983	45864	8119	17.70	1.63	12746	1850	-2777	2.55	0.37	-0.56
Haines Borough	1680	1401	279	19.91	1.81	283	100	96	1.84	0.65	0.62
Juneau Borough	19528	13556	5972	44.05	3.61	3033	812	3751	1.83	0.49	2.27
Kenai Borough	25282	16586	8696	52.43	4.15	4258	965	5404	2.03	0.46	2.58
Ketchikan Borough	11316	11041	1275	12.70	1.19	2214	761	177	2.07	0.71	-0.17
Kobuk C.A.	4831	4048	783	19.34	1.76	1234	286	165	2.78	0.54	-0.37
Kodiak Island Borough	9939	9409	530	5.63	0.55	2411	481	1400	2.49	0.50	-1.45
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	17816	6509	11307	173.71	9.30	2306	626	9628	1.90	0.51	7.92
Nome C.A.	6537	5749	788	13.71	1.28	1606	537	-280	2.61	0.87	-0.46
North Siepe Borough	4199	3451	748	21.67	1.96	842	250	157	2.20	0.65	0.41
Prince of Wales-Outer Ketckikan C.A.	3822	3782	40	1.06	0.11	700	236	424	1.84	0.62	-1.12
Sitka C.A.	7803	6073	1730	28.49	2.49	1397	391	724	2.01	0.56	1.04
Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon C.A.	3476	2792	686	24.57	2.19	679	270	277	2.17	0.86	0.88
Southeast Fairbanks C.A.	5676	4308	1368	31.75	2.74	1231	176	313	2.47	0.35	0.63
Valdez-Cordova C.A.	8348	4977	3371	67.73	5.06	1325	389	2435	1.99	0.85	3.65
Wrangell-Petersburg	6167	4920	1247	25.35	2.25	1163	409	494	2.10	0.74	0.89
Yukon-i\oyukuk	7873	7045	828	11.75	1.11	1610	544	-238	2.16	0.73	-0.32

SOURCE: Alaska Department of Labor. Alaska Planning Information, 1985

EXHIBIT IV

COMPONENTS OF THE NANA REGION ECONOMIC BASE

1980

	Priva	te	State		<u>Federa</u>	1	
Industry	Amount	- (%)	Amount	(%)	Amount	(%)	Total
Renewable Resource Harvesting Mining and	\$ 944,669	100	\$ -0-	-0-	\$ -0-	-0-	\$ 944,669
Exploration Construction	1,937,141 -0-	100 -0-	-0- 8,722,387	-0- 61	-0- 5,495,010	-0- 39	1,937,141 14,217,397
Household Manufacturing Transportation	183,830 10,868	100 20	-0- 3,804	-0 <i>-</i>	-0- 39,667	-0- 73	183,830 54,339
Wholesale and Distribution	2,502,036	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,502,036
Communications & Pvt. Utilities Trade and Private	8,601	1	799,900	93	51,606	6	860,107
Services	1,290,883	88	178,591	12	-0-	-0-	1,469,474
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Non-Profit	-0-	-0-	1,992,320	40	2,988,480	60	4,980,800
Local and Regional Government	-0-	-0-	13,583,629	79	3,621,621	21	17,205,250
State Agencies and Services	-0-	-0-	1,825,194	66	959,430	34	2,784,624
Federal Agencies and Services	-0-	-0-	173,381	4	4,600,783	96	4,774,164
Transfer Payments/ Households	679,500	6	4,203,609	38	6,274,254	56	11,157,363
	\$7,828,158	12	\$31,482,815	50	\$24,030,851	38	\$63,341,825

SOURCE: Maniilaq Association: <u>NANA Coastal Resource Service Area Coastal Management Program</u>, 1982

EXHIBIT V

NANA REGION ECONOMIC BASE

RANK BY INDUSTRY

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		TOTAL	
RANK	INDUSTRY	CONTRIBUTION	PERCENT
(1)	Local and Regional Government	\$17,205,250	27.1%
(2)	Construction	14,217,397	22.4%
(3)	Transfer Payments, Households	11,157,364	17.6%
(4)	Quasi-Public and Non-Profits	4,980,800	7.9%
(5)	Federal Agencies and Services	4,774,164	7.5%
(6)	State Agencies and Services	2,784,624	4.4%
(7)	Wholesale, Warehousing and Distributing	2,502,036	4.0%
(8)	Mining and Exploration	1,937,141	3.1%
(9)	Trade and Private Services	1,469,474	2.3%
(10)	Renewable Resource Harvesting	944,699	1.5%
(11)	Communications and Private Utilities	860,107	1.4%
(12)	Finance and Real Estate	270,630	. 4%
(13)	Household Manufacturing	183,830	.3%
(14)	Transportation	54,339	.1%
		\$63,341,825	100.0%

SOURCE: Maniflaq Association. NANA CRSA Coastal Management Program, 1982

EXHIBIT VI AIRLINE SCHEDULE

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EXHIBIT VII

DETAILED OPERATING

BUDGET

OPERATING BUDGET

MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTR	RATION		329,570 243,675
AND FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING COMMUNITY AFFAIRS	AND		200,255
DEPARTMENT OF LAW ASSESSING DEPARTMENT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	V		40,000 111,000 713,072
	TOTAL	\$21,	637,572

REVENUES

STATE COASTAL MANAGEMENT GRANT STATE FISHERIES TAX SHARED REVENUES BOROUGH PROPERTY TAX (3 Mils)	\$ 300,000 35,000 65,000 142,500 5,000 377,000
•	20,713,072 \$21,637,572

OPERATING BUDGET

Borough Assembly And Mayor's Office

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$185,420
Assembly Meeting Fees Mayor Administrative Assistant Borough Clerk Secretary Benefits (21%)	13,200 60,000 36,000 11/mo 25,000 11/mo 19,250 11/mo 31,970
TRAVEL AND PERDIEM	\$ 60,350
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 50,000
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 26,300
OTHER DIRECT COSTS	
Elections	\$ 7,500
TOTAL	\$329,570

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

PERSONAL SERVICES		\$	81,675	
Director/Controller Accountant II Accountant I (Part-time) Benefits (21%)			36,000 21,000 10,500 14,175	10/mo *
CONTRACTUAL				
Audit		\$	10,000	
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES		\$	11,000	
OTHER DIRECT COSTS		\$:	141,000	
Contingency Rent and Utilities Insurance			78,000 35,000 28,000	
	TOTAL	\$2	243,675	

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$102,720
Director Planner Secretary (Part-Time) Benefits (21%) Planning Commission Meeting Fees	41,250 11/mo 27,500 11/mo 9,200 11/mo 16,370 8,400
TRAVEL AND PERDIEM	\$ 39,935
Staff Planning Commission	14,935 25,000
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 33,600
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 24,000
TOTAL	\$200,255

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

CONTRACTUAL

\$ 40,000

TOTAL

\$ 40,000

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

TRAVEL AND PERDIEM		\$ 30,000
CONTRACTUAL		\$ 73,000
Assessing Mapping		30,000 43,000
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES		\$ 5,000
OTHER DIRECT COSTS		
Posting and Hearings		\$ 3,000
	TOTAL	\$111,000

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

PERSONAL SERVICES	\$12,631,600
Salaries Benefits	\$10,583,289 2,048,311
CONTRACTUAL	\$ 3,912,452
EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	\$ 785,498
Supplies Equipment	\$ 637,078 148,420
OTHER	\$ 523,522
ADDITIONAL STATE AID (UNBUDGETED)	\$ 2,860,000
TOTAL	\$20,713,072

BEFORE THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

IN RE:

)
THE INCORPORATION OF THE)
NANA REGION AS A BOROUGH)
OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE)
KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST
ARCTIC BOROUGH
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EXHIBIT VIII

AFFIDAVIT OF INFORMATION SOURCES

STATE OF ALASKA) : ss. SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

MARIE GREENE, being first sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am the representative of the Petitioner, Maniilaq Association, P.O. Box 256, Kotzebue, Alaska 99752, for the incorporation of the NANA region in Northwest Alaska as a borough of the first class.
- To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained in the petition, exhibits and brief pertaining to the proposal incorporation of the NANA region is accurate and complete.
- 3. The sources of information contained in the incorporation petition are listed below:
 - (a) The name, mailing address and telephone number of the petitioner, and petitioner's representative, are from my personal knowledge,
 - (b) The legal description of the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough, appended to the

incorporation petition, was prepared by NANA Regional Corporation, Inc. and by Mr. Ed Busch, Maniilaq Association consultant.

- (c) The stated estimated full and true value of real and personal property within the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough is based upon information provided by Mr. Mike Worley, State Assessor, Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs, in a telephone conversation with Mr. Ed Busch, Maniilaq Association consultant on October 24, 1985.
- (d) Population figures for the proposed Northwest Arctic Borough were provided by the United States Census of Population for 1980, and by the State of Alaska State Revenue Sharing Program for State FY84 and FY85, and by petitioner for the unincorporated community of Noatak, based upon petitioner's knowledge.
- (e) Other factual sources of information referenced in this petition for incorporation are listed in Exhibit XI <u>SOURCES OF INFORMATION</u> of this brief.

Ms. Marie Greené

President

Maniilag Association

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 2^{nd} day of January, 1986

Notary Public, State of Alaska My commission expires: 9/20/87

BEFORE THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

IN RE:)
THE INCORPORATION OF THE NANA REGION AS A BOROUGH OF THE FIRST CLASS TO BE KNOWN AS THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH)

EXHIBIT IX

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

STATE OF ALASKA)
: ss.
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

MARIE GREENE, being first sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am the representative of the Petitioner, Maniilaq Association, P.O. Box 256, Kotzebue, Alaska 99752, for the incorporation of the NANA Region in Northwest Alaska as a borough of the first class.
- 2. In compliance with the provisions of 19 AAC 10.370(a) one copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been served by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the following at the same time that the petition was filed with the Commissioner of the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs:
 - a. North Slope borough
 - b. City of Ambler
 - c. City of Buckland
 - d. City of Deering
 - e. City of Kiana
 - f. City of Kivalina
 - g. City of Kobuk
 - h. City of Kotzebue
 - i. Village of Noatak
 - j. City of Noorvik
 - k. City of Selawik
 - 1. City of Shungnak

3. Pursuant to the provisions of 19 AAC 10.370 (b), a copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been made available for inspection by the general public at the following location between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, except for holidays observed by Maniilaq Association:

Maniilaq Association Eskimo Building P.O. Box 256 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 Telephone: (907) 442-3311

4. A copy of the petition, appendices, brief and exhibits has been mailed to each of the individuals listed below at the same time as the petition was delivered to the Commissioner:

The Honorable Edna DeVries State Senator P.O. Box 321 Palmer, Alaska 99645

The Honorable Vic Fischer State Senator 600 Barrow Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Mr. Dennis Roper Special Assistant to the Mayor North Slope borough P.O. Box 69 Barrow, Alaska 99503

Office of the North Slope Borough 3201 C Street Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Mr. Kevin Waring Consultant to the North Slope Borough 3201 C Street, Suite 602 Anchorage, Alaska 99503 Mr. Earl Finkler North Slope Borough Planning Director North Slope Borough P.O. Box 69 Barrow, Alaska 99723

Ms. Lisa Parker Cominco Alaska 5660 B Street Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Representative Al Adams Alaska State Legislature Pouch V Juneau, Alaska 99811

Frank Ferguson Senator Alaska State Legislature Pouch V Juneau, Alaska 99811

Mr. John Schaeffer NANA Regional Corporation P.O. Box 49 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752

Mr. Willie Hensley NANA Regional Corporation P.O. Box 49 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752

Mr. Don Argetsinger NANA Development Corporation 4706 Harding Drive Anchorage, Alaska 99517 Mr. Steve Heimel Alaska Public Radio Network 4640 Old Seward Highway Suite 202 Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Mr. Tom Klinkner Wohlforth and Flint 900 West 5th Avenue, Suite 600 Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Mr. Charles Barnwell Geologist Arctic Slope Regional Corporation 313 E Street, Suite 2 Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Mr. Dean Crews Vice-President Alaska Land & Grant Consultants, Inc. 3000 A Street, Suite 300 Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Mr. Tom Kizzia/Matt Zencey Anchorage Daily News P.O. Box 6616 Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Ms. Mary Scarpinato Anchorage Times P.O. Box 40 Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Ms. Susan Fischer
Fairbanks Daily News Miner
P.O. Box 710
Fairbanks, Alaska 99707

Ms. Sandy Rabinowich 2525 Gambell Street National Park Service Anchorage, Alaska 99503-2892 Mr. Robert Gilmore Regional Director U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 1011 east Tudor Road Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Regional Manager
Minerals Management Services
Bureau of Land Management
Alaska OCS Region
949 East 36th Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99508

Ms. Alice Ahgeak, Borough Clerk North Slope Borough P.O. Box 69 Barrow, Alaska 99723

Ms. Judy Nash, City Clerk City of Point Hope P.O. Box 169 Point Hope, Alaska 99766

Ms. Alma R. Bodfish, City Clerk City of Wainwright P.O. Box 9 Wainwright, Alaska 99782

Ms. Emily Nusunginya, City Clerk City of Barrow P.O. Box 629 Barrow, Alaska 99723

Mr. Paul Bodfish, Treasurer City of Atqasuk General Delivery Atqasuk, Alaska 99791 Ms. Joy Oyagak, City Clerk City of Nuiqsut General Delivery Nuiqsut, Alaska 99789

Ms. Lynn Ramsey, City Clerk City of Anaktuvuk Pass P.O. Box 21030 Anaktuvuk Pass, Alaska 99721

Ms. Mary Sophie, City Clerk City of Kaktovik P.O. Box 27 Kaktovik, Alaska 99747

Ms. Kate Roney Resource Management Specialist National Park Service P.O. Box 287 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752

Mr. Joe Britton GCO Mineral Company 650 West 58th, Unity G Ancharage, Alaska 99508

Ms. Marie N. Greene

President

Maniilag Association

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 2 Ma day of January, 1986.

Notary Public, State of Alaska My commission expires: 9/20/8

PAL POPULATION FOR BOROUGHS AND OFFICIAL MUNI

DEPT. OF COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

BILL SHEFFIELD, GOVERNOR

- □ POUCH B JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811 PHONE: (907) 465-4700
- O 949 E. 36TH AVENUE, SUITE 400 ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99508 PHONE: (907) 563-1073

December 28, 1984

Certification of Population

Under the authority vested in me by AS 29.88.015 and AS 43.20.016(c), I, Emil Notti, Commissioner of the Department of and Regional Affairs, do hereby certify population of each municipality as of July 1, 1984 as shown on the "Official Municipal Population for Boroughs and Cities".

Commissioner

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

	FY 1985
Anchorage, Municipality of	244,030*
Bristol Bay Borough	1,271
Fairbanks North Star Borough	69,633*
Fairbanks	27,103
North Pole	1,005**
Haines Borough	1,847
Haines	1,079
Juneau, City & Borough	28,941*
Kenai Peninsula Borough	38,919*
Homer	3,432*
Kachemak	325*
Kenai	6,176*
Seldovia	678*
Seward	2,072*
Soldotna	3,597*
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	14,314
Ketchikan	8,414
Saxman	343
Kodiak Island Borough Akhiok Kodiak Larsen Bay Old Harbor Ouzinkie Port Lions	13,389* 103 6,072 215** 375 233 291
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	34,030*
Houston	739*
Palmer	2,792*
Wasilla	3,548*

^{*}estimate

^{**}local census

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

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	FY 1985
North Slope Borough Anaktuvuk Pass Atqasuk Barrow Kaktovik Nuiqsut Point Hope Wainwright	7,978** 232** 214** 2,930** 208** 309** 580**
Sitka, City & Borough of	8,221
HOME RULE/FIRST CLASS CITIES Cordova Craig Dillingham Galena Hoonah Hydaburg Kake King Cove Klawock Nenana Nome Pelican Petersburg Saint Mary's Sand Point Skagway Tanana Unalaska Valdez Wrangell Yakutat	2,520* 907 2,026** 902** 865 429 631 521** 542** 547** 3,732* 213 3,137* 563 870** 790 417** 1,922 3,687 2,376 462
SECOND CLASS CITIES Akiachak Akiak Akutan Alakanuk Aleknagik Allakaket Ambler Anderson	451 250 189 564 232 175 275 521

^{*}estimate

^{**}local census

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

	FY 1985
SECOND CLASS CITIES (Cont'd)	
	562
Angoon Aniak	483**
Anvik	114
Atmautluak	239
Bethel	3,681
Brevig Mission	159
Buckland	248**
Chefornak	270**
Chevak	5,32**
Chignik	124
Chuathbaluk	124
Clark's Point	80
Cold Bay	250
Deering	148
Delta Junction	1,172*
Diomede	153**
Eagle	142
Eek	259**
Ekwok	79
Elim	248**
Emmonak	641
Fort Yukon	641
Fortuna Ledge	272
Gambell	500**
Golovin	122** 234**
Goodnews Bay	217
Grayling	266
Holy Cross	680**
Hooper Bay	98**
Hughes	283**
Huslia	257
Kaltag	70
Kasaan	394
Kasigluk Kiana	404**
Kivalina	272
Kobuk	86
Kotlik	413**
Kotzebue	2,981
Koyuk	213**
Koyukuk	98
Kupreanof	51**
Kwethluk	507
Lower Kalskag	271**

^{*}estimate `

^{**}local census

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL POPULATIONS FOR BOROUGHS AND CITIES

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		FY 1985
SECOND CLASS CITIES ('continued)	
Manokotak	Concinded	200
McGrath		299 510**
Mekoryuk		
Mountain Village		182** 666
Napakiak		323**
Napaskiak		291**
New Stuyahok		337
Newhalen	•	133
Newtok		187**
Nightmute		145
Nikolai		110**
Nondalton		237**
Noorvik	•	517**
Nulato		382
Nunapitchuk		353
Pilot Station		404
Platinum		59
Port Alexander		96
Port Heiden		94
Quinhagak		424**
Ruby		233
Russian Mission		175
Saint George		172**
Saint Michael Saint Paul		283**
Savoonga	•	595
Scammon Bay		477
Selawik		297**
Shageluk		637** 149**
Shaktoolik		171
Sheldon Point		138**
Shishmaref		412
Shungnak		238**
Stebbins		339
Teller		247
Tenakee Springs		156**
Thorne Bay		393**
Togiak		554**
Toksook Bay	•	368**
Tuluksak		272
Tununak		335**
Unalakleet		787
Upper Kalskag		133
Wales		136**
White Mountain		158
Whittier		273**
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